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Addendum No. 14

Dear Contractor:

This addendum is being issued to the contract for construction on State highway in THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO FROM YERBA BUENA TUNNEL TO 0.6 KM EAST OF THE YERBA BUENA TUNNEL.

Submit bids for this work with the understanding and full consideration of this addendum. The revisions declared in this addendum are an essential part of the contract.

Bids for this work will be opened on December 2, 2003, instead of the date of November 4, 2003.

This addendum is being issued to set a new bid opening date as shown herein and revise the Notice to Contractors and Special Provisions.

In the Special Provisions, Section 2-1.06 "BIDDER COMPENSATION," the first paragraph is revised as follows:

"The Department recognizes the cost required to prepare bids for a project of this magnitude. To encourage competitive bids, within 90 days of award of the contract, the second, third, and fourth bidders shall each receive \$500,000 to defray a portion of the costs of providing a responsive bid."

In the Special Provisions, Section 3-1.01A, "PRE-AWARD MEETING," the first paragraph is revised as follows:

"The Engineer will review the responses to the "Pre-Award Information/Questionnaire" (PAIQ) and the Proposal Drawings submitted by the apparent low bidder. If the Engineer determines it necessary, a pre-award qualifications review meeting will be conducted. The meeting, if held, will be on **December 10, 2003 at 1:00 p.m. in the third floor conference room, 1727 - 30th Street, Sacramento, CA 95816**. The apparent low bidder shall participate in the Pre-award Meeting conducted by one or more agents of the Director and the Engineer. Non-attendance to the qualification review meeting by the apparent low bidder shall be just cause for rejection of the bid and forfeiture of the proposal guaranty."

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To Proposal and Contract book holders:

Indicate receipt of this addendum by filling in the number of this addendum in the space provided on the signature page of the proposal.

Submit bids in the Proposal and Contract book you now possess. Holders who have already mailed their book will be contacted to arrange for the return of their book.

Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

This office is sending this addendum by confirmed facsimile to all book holders to ensure that each receives it. A copy of this addendum and the modified wage rates are available for the contractor's use on the Internet Site:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/addendum_page.html

If you are not a Proposal and Contract book holder, but request a book to bid on this project, you must comply with the requirements of this letter before submitting your bid.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

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